

CITY OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND NON-MOTORIZED TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (NMTAC)

Monthly Meeting

Wednesday, March 2, 2016 Council Conference Room 280 Madison Ave N., Bainbridge Island, Washington

MINUTES

Present:

Demi Allen, Marsha Cutting, John Grinter, Lief Horwitz, Patty Lyman, Alyse Nelson, Don Willott. Also attending were COBI Liaison Wayne Roth, Park District Liaison Kirk Robinson, City Engineer Chris Hammer, and six community members (Lisa Macchio, Marc de van der Schueren, Barb Trafton, Kent Scott, John Dorsey, Ross Hathaway).

The meeting was called to order at 7:10pm and adjourned at 9:00pm.

The February 3rd meeting minutes and February 24th retreat notes were approved.

The committee heard public comment about the IslandWood trail and Olympic Drive bike lanes.

Public Works:

- A draft Agenda Bill regarding Island maximum speed limits was reviewed and approved. It will be on the March 8 Council meeting agenda.
- The Island-Wide Transportation Plan (IWTP) public engagement schedule is being developed for presentation to the Council at its March 15 study session. The IWTP Project list/map will be reviewed at a 6:30pm session prior to committee's April meeting.
- The Wyatt Way open house enjoyed good community turnout and useful participant discussion. Most committee members were able to attend.

Discussion:

- The committee voted to postpone a recommendation regarding transfer of the IslandWood trail easement to the Park District until its April meeting. Lief will continue discussions with involved parties.
- There was interest in a City study of Point White parking/trail & water access.
- Olympic Drive Project Concern was expressed about the bike transition to new left lane at Harbor Drive. A remedy may require moving the signal poles. It is unlikely that the project's Phase 2 budget will cover the cost.
- The committee's 2016 meeting calendar will be coordinated via email.

Lief Horwitz, Chair

4/18/16